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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) by Express Mail is the complete patent application of **Kelly Borden**, Beaumont, Canada and **Quinn Holtby**, Edmonton, Canada, entitled BLOWOUT PREVENTER PACKING ELEMENT WITH NON-METALLIC COMPOSITE INSERTS, executed on December 15, 2003.

- X 1. An application consisting of 13 pages of specification, including the claims and the Abstract of the Disclosure, and 3 sheets of drawings is attached.
- X 2. A newly executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- X 3. Priority of Application No. 2,418,774, filed in Canada on February 13, 2003, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119. A certified copy of the priority document will be filed at a later date.
- X 4. Small entity status is asserted for this matter.

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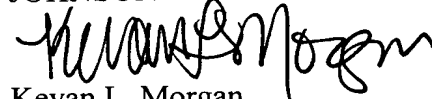
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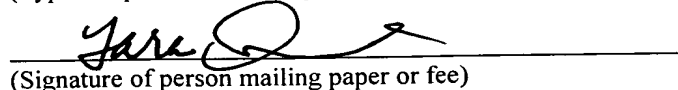
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